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SUBJECT: FY-1977 MULTI-REGIONAL PROJECT: PROFESSIONAL JOURNALISM
PROGRAM: NOMINATION OF DR. GYORGY VARGA

REF: STATE 117160, BUDAPEST 1526

NAME: DR. GYORGY VARGA.
TYPE OF GRANT: MULTI-REGIONAL PROJECT, CODE 211.
JUSTIFICATION: NOMINATED BY THE INSTITUTE OF CULTURAL
RELATIONS, INTERVIEWED AND APPROVED BY P&C OFFICER. DR.
VARGA IS A WELL-KNOWN ECONOMIC WRITER, DEPUTY EDITOR-
IN-CHIEF OF PRESTIGIOUS ECONOMIC WEEKLY "FIGYELO" AND
EDITOR-IN-CHIEF OF ECONOMIC QUARTERLY "GAZDASAG".
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SECTION HAS NOTHING ON RECORD TO INDICATE INELIGIBILITY.
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BIOGRAPHIC DATA:
PLASE OF BIRTH: BUDAPEST, HUNGARY
DATE OF BIRTH: FEBRUARY 14, 1932
MARITAL STATUS: MARRIED; CHILDREN: ONE.
PRESENT POSITION: DEPUTY EDITOR-IN-CHIEF OF ECONOMIC
WEEKLY "FIGYELO" AND EDITOR-IN-CHIEF OF ECONOMIC QUARTERLY
"GAZDASAG".
ACADEMIC BACKGROUND: KARL MARX UNIVERSITY OF ECONOMICS,
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PUBLICATIONS: BOOKS: "THE AMERICAN BUSINESS: BUSINESS

STRATEGY AND MANAGEMENT", 1970; "THE JAPANESE BUSINESS: STRATEGY AND MANAGEMENT", 1972; "THE ECONOMY OF BRAZIL", IN PRINT. NUMEROUS ARTICLES AND RESEARCH DEALING WITH STANDARDS OF MANAGEMENT, STRUCTURAL DEVELOPMENT OF ECONOMY, ECONOMIC REFORM AND FOREIGN TRADE, MULTINATIONAL CORPORATIONS, MARKETING.

LANGUAGES: EXCELLENT ENGLISH.

TRAVEL: 1967-1968 FORD FOUNDATION GRANTEE AT STANFORD UNIVERSITY AND HARVARD; JAPAN AND ITALY.

ADDRESS: 1146 BUDAPEST, AJTOSI DURER SOR 5.

DR. VARGAS' CURRENT PROFESSIONAL INTEREST IS IN THE HUMAN, THEORETICAL, LEGAL AND TECHNICAL ASPECTS OF EAST-WEST ECONOMIC RELATIONS. IF ACCEPTED FOR PROJECT HE HOPES, INASMUCH AS PROGRAM SCHEDULE WILL ALLOW, TO TRAVEL AND MEET WITH ACADEMICS, GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS, RESEARCH INSTITUTIONS, BANKING AND PRIVATE GROUPS INVOLVED IN ECONOMIC RELATIONS WITH EAST EUROPE. RESEARCH GROUPS, ACADEMIC INSTITUTIONS, MNC'S OF SPECIAL INTEREST TO DR. VARGA: COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, CORNELL, STANFORD, HARVARD, BROOKINGS, STANFORD RESEARCH INSTITUTE, COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS, THE DIEBOLD GROUP, CHASE MANHATTAN, GENERAL MOTORS, CBS, PANAM. DR. VARGA WOULD ADDITIONALLY LIKE TO MEET WITH MEMBER OR ADVISOR TO COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC ADVISORS AND SECURE APPOINTMENT AT DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE, BUREAU OF EAST-WEST TRADE.

DR. VARGA IS A YOUTHFUL, PERSONABLE AND WE FEEL HIGHLY QUALIFIED CANDIDATE. (HE DOES EXCEED THE FORTY YEEARS AGE LIMIT THOUGH). HIS PRIVATE INTERESTS ARE IN OPERA, MUSICAL AND THEATER(STAGE) PRODUCTIONS AND DURING HIS STAY IN THE U.S. WOULD HOPE TO MEET SOCIALLY WITH NUMEROUS AMERICANS IN AND OUT OF THE FIELD OF ECONOMICS. MUDD

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